Entered – 1-14-10 sb CL 10L0014- GWENDOLYN BURNS

**CLAIM OF: MARVIN JOHNSON** 

10- R-0371

1392 Northwest Drive, NW Atlanta, Georgia 30318

For property damages alleged to have been sustained during a tree trimming project in December 2009 at 1392 Northwest Drive, NW.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY:

JERRY L. DELOACH DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

## ADVERSE REPORT

PUBLIC SAFTEY &

LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

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CHAIR

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## OFFICE OF MUNICIPAL CLERK

RHONDA DAUPHIN JOHNSON MUNICIPAL CLERK

55 TRINITY AVENUE, S W SECOND FLOOR,EAST SUITE 2700 ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30335 (404) 330-6030 FAX (404) 658-6273

March 9, 2010

Mr. Marvin Johnson 1392 Northwest Drive, NW Atlanta, Georgia 30318

10-R-0371

Dear Mr. Marvin Johnson

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your claim at its regular meeting on March 1, 2010. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson CMC

Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

## DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 10L0014	Date:
Claimant / Victim MARVIN JOHNSON	
BY: (Atty) (Ins. Co.)	
Address: 1392 Northwest Drive NW Atlan	nta, Georgia 30318
Subrogation: Claim for Property damage	e \$ 757.30 Bodily Injury \$
Date of Notice: 1/13/10 Method: Written, P	roper X Improper X Improper X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5	X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Department Bureau:	Office:
Employee involved Disciplinary	Office:
NATURE OF CLAIM: Claimant alleges that	t he sustained a broken sign and fence during a troo trimming
<u>project along Northwest Drive. However, an 1</u>	investigation has determined that the City did not angage in
projects of this nature. The claimant has been adv	rised to pursue his claim with Georgia Power Company.
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INVESTIGATION:	
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Citation disposition. City Driver	Claimant Driver
Citation disposition: City Driver	Claimant Driver
BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:	
Function: Governmental	Ministerial  S Other X Damages reasonable  Cted Compromise settlement  Repair/replacement by City Forces  Joint Claim Abandoned
Improper Notice More than Six Month	Other V Damagas reasonable
City not involved X Offer rejection	cted Compromise settlement
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	INVESTIĞATOR - GWENDOLYN BURNS
RECOMMENDATION:	
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Claims Manager:	nt charged: General Fund Water & Sewer Aviation Concur/date O
Committee Action:	Council Action
FORM 23-61	

## COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA MUNICIPAL CLERK

City Hall 55 Trinity Avenue, SW Atlanta, Georgia 30303 RE: CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

Today's Date: 12 - 28-09

Dear Municipal Clerk:

ENTERTED - 1-14-10- SB

10L0014 - G. BURNS This is to notify the City of Atlanta that I have suffered damages in the amount of \$\_ for \$\_\_\_\_\_bodily injury for which I contend the City is liable.

NOTICE! DEC EARLY

1. Date of incident: 2. Time of incident: MIDAY

3. Police called: and/or \$ 4. Location of incident (including street address): 1392 NORTHWEST OR, 5. Name of your insurance company: \_ BUCKET LIFT CUTTING TREE LIMBS ALONG NORTHWEST OR & IN FRONT DRIVEWAY HERE, .. 1392 N.W. DR. LATER NOTICE WOOD NEAR SIGN DOWN. LIMBS CUT ABOVE 516N. FENCE WIRE DOWN ALSO, -FALSE CLAIMS WILL RESULT IN YOUR CLAIM BEING DENIED AND MAY RESULT IN CRIMINAL PROSECUTION! The registered owner must make the claim for vehicle damages, complete the following and attach two (2) estimates of repair and proof of ownership of your vehicle. Your vehicle: (Make) (Year) (Tag Number) (Driver's Name) City vehicle: (Department/Bureau) Witness: 10. The acknowledgement of this claim in no way waives the Sovereign immunity of the City of Atlanta, as granted by State faw, nor is it an admission of liability on behalf of the City of Atlanta and/or its employee(s). 11. Claims must be received within 6 months from the date of the event. MARNIN TOHNSON
(Print Claimant's Name) I HEREBY SWEAR OR AFFIRM THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS TRUE AND 1392 NORTHWEST DR NW (Address) CORRECT ATLANTA 6A 303/8/
(City, State and Zip Code) 404, 794, 7657 (Work Number) (Home Number)

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ITEMS ADOPTED ON	ITEMS ADOPTED ON	ITEMS ADVERSED
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